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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-20 (Canceled).

21. (New): An audio processing and image generating apparatus comprising:

means for analyzing an audio signal supplied from a recording medium storing said audio signal or via a communication link; and

means for generating an image based on a result of an analysis of said audio signal,

wherein said image indicates the timing for an operator to manipulate a predetermined control member selected from a plurality of control members of a controller.

22. (New): An audio processing and image generating apparatus according to claim 21, wherein said timing to manipulate the predetermined control member is timing according to music based on said audio signal.

23. (New): A method of audio processing and image generating comprising the steps of:

analyzing an audio signal supplied from a recording medium storing said audio signal or via a communication link; and

generating an image based on a result of an analysis of said audio signal,

wherein said image indicates the timing for an operator to

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manipulate a predetermined control member selected from a plurality of control members of a controller.

24. (New): A method of audio processing and image generating according to claim 23, wherein said timing to manipulate the predetermined control member is timing according to music based on said audio signal.

25. (New): A recording medium for storing a program, said program comprising the steps of:

analyzing an audio signal supplied from a recording medium storing said audio signal or via a communication link; and

generating an image based on a result of an analysis of said audio signal,

wherein said image indicates the timing for an operator to manipulate a predetermined control member selected from a plurality of control members of a controller.

26. (New): A recording medium according to claim 25, wherein said timing to manipulate the predetermined control member is timing according to music based on said audio signal.

27. (New): A program comprising the steps of:

analyzing an audio signal supplied from a recording medium storing said audio signal or via a communication link; and

generating an image based on a result of an analysis of said audio signal,

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wherein said image indicates the timing for an operator to manipulate a predetermined control member selected from a plurality of control members of a controller.

28. (New): A program according to claim 27, wherein said timing to manipulate the predetermined control member is timing according to music based on said audio signal.